

Table 2. Number, median days, incidence rate¹ and relative standard errors of nonfatal occupational injuries and illnesses with days away from work² involving musculoskeletal disorders³ by selected parts of body, Florida, 2002

Part of body		Number	Median days away from work	Incidence rate	Relative standard error
Total		23,620	7	48.5	3.3
1	Neck, Including Throat	385	8	0.8	13.5
10	Neck, except internal location of diseases or disorders	385	8	0.8	13.5
2	Trunk	17,398	7	35.7	3.5
20	Trunk, unspecified	--	--	--	--
21	Shoulder, including clavicle, scapula	2,355	9	4.8	6.1
22	Chest, including ribs, internal organs	73	5	0.2	30.6
220	Chest, except internal location of diseases or disorders	73	5	0.2	30.6
23	Back, including spine, spinal cord	13,213	6	27.1	3.7
230	Back, including spine, spinal cord, unspecified	8,038	6	16.5	4.1
231	Lumbar region	4,766	5	9.8	4.7
232	Thoracic region	376	3	0.8	13.7
234	Coccygeal region	--	--	--	--
239	Back, including spine, spinal cord, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
24	Abdomen	728	16	1.5	10.0
240	Abdomen, except internal location of diseases or disorders	214	5	0.4	18.0
241	Internal abdominal location, unspecified	46	34	0.1	38.4
242	Stomach organ	--	--	--	--
245	Intestines, peritoneum	462	18	1.0	12.4
2450	Intestines, peritoneum, unspecified	58	14	0.1	34.1
2451	Peritoneum	344	18	0.7	14.3
2452	Small intestine	--	--	--	--
2459	Intestines, n.e.c.	44	26	0.1	39.4
25	Pelvic region	1,019	13	2.1	8.6
250	Pelvic region, unspecified	--	--	--	--
251	Hip(s)	154	8	0.3	21.1
252	Pelvis	--	--	--	--
254	Groin	830	13	1.7	9.5
259	Pelvic region, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
3	Upper extremities	2,983	13	6.1	5.6
30	Upper extremities, unspecified	--	--	--	--
31	Arm(s)	992	14	2.0	8.7
310	Arm(s), unspecified	681	14	1.4	10.4
311	Upper arm(s)	--	--	--	--
312	Elbow(s)	238	20	0.5	17.1
313	Forearm(s)	--	--	--	--
318	Multiple arm(s) locations	--	--	--	--
32	Wrist(s)	1,589	12	3.3	7.1
33	Hand(s), except finger(s)	188	16	0.4	19.1
34	Finger(s), fingernail(s)	149	9	0.3	21.4
38	Multiple upper extremities locations	61	10	0.1	33.3
380	Multiple upper extremities locations, unspecified	--	--	--	--
381	Hand(s) and finger(s)	--	--	--	--
382	Hand(s) and wrist(s)	--	--	--	--
383	Hand(s) and arm(s)	--	--	--	--
389	Multiple upper extremities locations, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
39	Upper extremities, n.e.c.	--	--	--	--
4	Lower extremities	2,099	12	4.3	6.4
41	Leg(s)	1,715	14	3.5	6.9
410	Leg(s), unspecified	234	5	0.5	17.2
411	Thigh(s)	--	--	--	--

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412	Knee(s)	1,423	15	2.9	7.5
413	Lower leg(s)	20	55	--	58.5
42	Ankle(s)	269	3	0.6	16.1
43	Foot(feet), except toe(s)	86	1	0.2	28.2
430	Foot(feet), except toe(s), unspecified	78	1	0.2	29.6
432	Sole(s)	--	--	--	--
4323	Heel(s)	--	--	--	--
44	Toe(s), toenail(s)	--	--	--	--
48	Multiple lower extremities locations	--	--	--	--
482	Foot(feet) and ankle(s)	--	--	--	--
483	Foot(feet) and toe(s)	--	--	--	--
8	Multiple Body Parts	689	6	1.4	10.3
9	Other Body Parts	65	5	0.1	32.3
99	Other body parts, n.e.c.	65	5	0.1	32.3
999	Other body parts, n.e.c.	65	5	0.1	32.3
9999	Nonclassifiable	65	5	0.1	32.3

¹ Incidence rates represent the number of injuries and illnesses per 10,000 full-time workers and were calculated as: (N / EH) X 20,000,000 where,

N = number of injuries and illnesses,

EH = total hours worked by all employees during the calendar year,

20,000,000 = base for 10,000 full-time equivalent workers (working 40 hours per week, 50 weeks per year).

² Days away from work include those which result in days away from work with or without job transfer or restriction.

³ Includes cases where the nature of injury is: sprains, strains, tears; back pain, hurt back; soreness, pain, hurt, except back; carpal tunnel syndrome; hernia; or musculoskeletal system and connective tissue diseases and disorders and when the event or exposure leading to the injury or illness is: bodily reaction/bending, climbing, crawling, reaching, twisting; overexertion; or repetition. Cases of Raynaud's phenomenon, tarsal tunnel syndrome, and herniated spinal discs are not included. Although these cases may be considered MSD's, the survey classifies these cases in categories that also include non-MSD cases.

NOTE: Dashes indicate data that do not meet publication guidelines or data for incidence rates less than .05 per 10,000 full-time workers. The scientifically selected probability sample used was one of many possible samples, each of which could have produced different estimates. A measure of sampling variability for each estimate is available upon request.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, April 2004